

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): KAMI et al.

Application No.: 09/944,150

Filed: September 04, 2001

Title: NON-AQUEOUS ELECTROLYTE
SECONDARY BATTERY

Attorney Docket No.: 12-006

Group Art Unit: 1745

Examiner: DOVE, Tracy Mae

October 23, 2003

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION/ELECTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents
Arlington, VA 22202

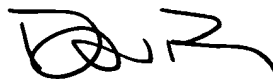
Sir:

In response to a Restriction Requirement mailed on September 23, 2003 in connection with the above application, Applicant hereby elects Group III (claims 20 – 28, drawn to a porous film) without traverse.

Examination of the present application in view of the above election is respectfully requested.

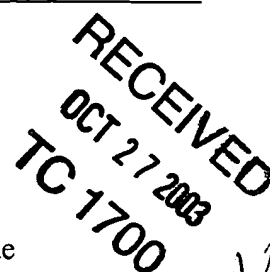
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